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In re: application of:

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MANGANESE DIOXIDE FOR LITHIUM  
PRIMARY BATTERY AND PROCESS FOR  
PRODUCING THE SAME

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AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

September 2, 2003

Sir:

In response to the Official Action of April 2, 2003,  
please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing  
of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 4 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following the signature page of  
this paper.

Make of record the accompanying extract from "Handbook  
of Batteries" published January 20, 1995 by Maruzen Co., Ltd. of  
Japan and the English language translation of page 132, lines 8-  
13 thereof.